II.—CALLING ATTENTION TO CLASH BETWEEN STUDENTS OF GOVERNMENT ARTS COLLEGE IN VRIDHACHALAM TOWN AND CERTAIN MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL PUBLIC BETWEEN 26TH AND 28TH FEBRUARY 1969.

THIRU A. R. DAMODARAN : Sir, I desired to raise this on the 27th February and at that time, it was a matter of urgent public importance. It has become infructuous now and therefore, I do not desire to do so.

III. ELECTION OF DEPUTY CHAIRMAN.

MR. CHAIRMAN : We proceed to the next item of business, namely, election of the Deputy Chairman. Under Article 182 of our Constitution and under sub-rule (4) of rule 13 of the Tamil Nadu Legislative Council Rules, I have to read out to the House the names of the Members who have been duly nominated for Deputy Chairmanship together with those of the proposers and seconders. They are as follows :—

Member nominated.	Proposer.	Seconder.
1. Thiru G. Krishnamoorthy.	Thiru A. R. Damodaran.	Thiru G. Swaminathan.
2. Thiru G. Krishnamoorthy.	Thiru A. R. Damodaran.	Thiru D. Santosham.
3. Thiru Wilson Appollos.	Thiru N. R. Thiagarajan.	Thiru R. Krishnaswamy Naidu.
4. Thiru Wilson Appollos.	Thiru A. Ponnappa Naidu.	Thirumathi Saraswathi Pandurangam.

As more than one Member has been duly nominated, the Council will now proceed to elect the Deputy Chairman by ballot, as prescribed in sub-rules (4) to (8) of rule 13 of the Council Rules.

Two cubicles, one on the western side and another on the eastern side of the Chairman, have been provided to enable the hon. Members to record their votes.

I have directed the Secretary to the Council to call the Members, one from each side, and as they approach him, each will be handed a ballot paper. After getting his ballot paper, each Member is requested to go into one of the cubicles, record his vote and deposit the ballot paper in the ballot box provided for the purpose on the Secretary's Table.

To keep order in the House and to avoid the suggestion that canvassing is going on within the House, hon. Members are requested to remain in their places and to go to the Secretary's table as they are called. Hon. Members are also requested to avoid talking either before or after voting and to maintain the secrecy of ballot.

THIRU SAW GANESAN : I request you, Sir, to instruct the hon. Members to mark "X" or "L" or "O" against the name of the Member for whom they wish to vote. That is better.

MR. CHAIRMAN : This is the ballot paper. The first name is Thiru G. Krishnamoorthy.